



...THE...

Commencement Exercises

...OF...

ST. JOHN'S COLLEGE



IN McDOWELL HALL



WEDNESDAY, JUNE 19, 1907



10.30 O'CLOCK A. M.

COMMENCEMENT DAY

Wednesday, June 19th, 1907, at 10.30 A. M.

ORDER OF EXERCISES.

Procession of Candidates for Degrees, Alumni, the Board of Governors, Presidents of Colleges and other distinguished Visitors, the Faculty and the President of the College.

Reading of Scripture, - Rev John McElmoyle, Elkton, Md.
Prayer, - Rev. George M. Cummings, Washington, D. C.

MUSIC

Salutatory Address, - William Childs, Jr., Annapolis, Md.
Prize Oration, - Asher R. Smith, Carrizo Springs, Texas

MUSIC

Awarding of Certificates of Distinction and Prizes.

Presentation of Medal on Behalf of the Baltimore Branch of the Alumni Association - -
W. I. Dawkins, Esq., Baltimore, Md.

MUSIC.

Conferring of Degrees.

Address to the Graduating Class, - - -
Hon. Ferdinand Latrobe, Baltimore, Md.

Valedictory Address, - - - - -
Edgar Henry McBride, Adamstown, Md.

SINGING OF CLASS ODE

BENEDICTION

COMMENCEMENT DAY

MCDOWELL HALL, ST. JOHN'S COLLEGE



WEDNESDAY, JUNE 19, 1907

ODE TO ST. JOHN'S COLLEGE.

MUSIC BY ELIZABETH ELLEN STARR.

We sing to thee, our mother dear, (our mother dear,)
Our hearts are warm, our voices clear, (our voices clear);
 As to thy praise we sing,
 As to thy praise we sing,
Down through the sounding aisles of time
We send thy praise in tuneful rhyme,
 And make the old halls ring,
 And make the old halls ring.

CHO.—To thee, St. John's, we gladly sing,
To thee we sing, we sing, we sing;
To thee our sounding praises bring,
Our praises bring, our praises bring,
We hail thee, love thee, bless the day
That brought us 'neath thy guardian sway,
 Thy guardian sway.

Farewell! old bell! go on and ring (go on and ring),
High in the lofty turret swing (turret swing)
 But not for us the peal—
 But not for us the peal.
Farewell, green sward and shelter trees.
 'Tis not for us the whispering breeze
 Shall through your branches steal—
 Shall through your branches steal.

Oft from the strife of coming years (of coming years);
Oft from the mingled hopes and fears, (hopes and fears,)
 Our hearts will turn to thee—
 Our hearts will turn to thee.
Thy restful paths, thy sunny slopes;
Thy promises, youth's buoyant hopes
 We find in thoughts of thee—
 We find in thoughts of thee.

And strengthened by these mem'ries dear (mem'ries dear)
We forward with songs of cheer (with songs of cheer.)
 To thee our thanks we raise.
 To thee our thanks we raise;
And to the guiding Hand above
Which over all our lives doth move,
 A parting song of praise—
 A parting song of praise.

DEGREES TO BE CONFERRED

At the Commencement on Wednesday, June 19, 1907.

GRADUATE DEGREES.

BACHELOR OF ARTS.

First Honor—Edgar Henry McBride,	-	Frederick, Md.
Benjamin Hance,	- - - - -	Adelina, Md.
Charles Ernest Tilghman,	- - - - -	Salisbury, Md.
Asher Richardson Smith,	-	Carrizo Springs, Texas.
John Collinson, Jr.,	- - - - -	South River, Md.
Norman Alphonso Belt,	- - - - -	Gaithersburg, Md.
Everette LeRoy Bowen,	- - - - -	Prince Frederick, Md.
Francis Bernard Gwynn,	- - - - -	Clinton, Md.
Alton Lindolph Arnold,	- - - - -	Revell's, Md.
Alexander Contee Thompson,	-	Washington, D. C.
Howard Thomas Ruhl,	- - - - -	Baltimore, Md.
Robert Anderson, Jr.,	- - - - -	Cecilton, Md.
Walter Griffin Mudd,	- - - - -	La Plata, Md.
Alexander McCully Stevens,	- - - - -	Oxford, Md.
Raoul J. Ruz y Poey,	- - - - -	Havana, Cuba.
Marcello Worthington Bordley,	- - - - -	Centreville, Md.
George Donald Riley,	- - - - -	Annapolis, Md.
John Moore Thompson,	- - - - -	Annapolis, Md.

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE.

Second Honor—William F. Childs, Jr.,	-	Annapolis, Md.
Eli Elmer Bennett,	- - - - -	Westminster, Md.
John Triplett Harrison,	- - - - -	Baltimore, Md.
William August Strohm,	- - - - -	Annapolis, Md.
Irving Patterson Kane,	- - - - -	Long Green, Md.
Cuthbert Clement Cathcart,	- - - - -	Moscow Mills, Md.
Lee Isaac Hecht,	- - - - -	Havre de Grace, Md.
Hugh Aubrey Coulbourn,	- - - - -	Crisfield, Md.
Eugene Webster Magruder,	- - - - -	Annapolis, Md.
Robert Currier Brady,	- - - - -	Annapolis, Md.

DEGREES IN COURSE.

MASTER OF ARTS.

Blanchard Randall, B. A., 1874,
Charles Newman Joyce, B. A., 1895,
Walter C. Mylander, B. A., 1900,
John Parran Briscoe, B. A., 1901,
Wayne Willing Keyes, B. A., 1902,
Alexander Randall, B. A., 1902.
Fred Y. Cronk, B. S., 1903,

HONORARY DEGREES.

DOCTOR OF DIVINITY.

Rev Talliaferro F. Caskey, - - - Baltimore, Md,
Rev. John McElmoyle, - - - Elkton, Md.
Rev. Robert M. Moore, - - - Washington, D. C.

DOCTOR OF LAWS.

Honorable Isidor Rayner, - - - Baltimore, Md.
John Hays Hammond, Esq., - - - New York, N. Y.

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PRIZES.

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Prize of \$25.00 offered by the Alumni Association of St.  
John's College to the Senior Class for the  
best Original Oration :

Asher Richardson Smith, - Carrizo Springs, Texas.

Philo Sherman Bennett Prize for the best Essay on the  
"Principles of Free Government:"

Edgar Henry McBride, - - - Frederick, Md.

President's medal for Oratory to members of the Junior Class:

Philip Harrison, - - - Baltimore, Md.

President's Prize for Biblical Study :

Charles H. Schuster, - - - Baltimore, Md.